

ABSTRACT

A bobbin has a bobbin body capable of fitting into the inside of a winding, and a protrusion protruding from the outer peripheral surface of the bobbin body and capable of intervening between windings. Preferably, stopper means is further provided for preventing the bobbin from rotating. This means is a stopper piece which protrudes from the outer peripheral surface of the bobbin body substantially on the opposite side of the protrusion, and fits in a slit formed at a bend of the winding. The stopper means may have a flange extending from one end of the bobbin body, and a stopper protrusion protruding from a flange edge in a direction opposite to a direction in which the bobbin body extends, for engagement with a core. The protrusion may have a thickness dimension equal to or larger than a spacing between windings.